

# St Mary's Parish, Drogheda

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# Holy Family Parish, Ballsgrove, Drogheda

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## Priests:

Fr John Conlon PP  
**Fr Derek Ryan CC Priest On Duty**  
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## NEW MASS TIMES

**SUNDAY:** 9:00am, 11:00am, 7:00pm  
**MONDAY TO FRIDAY:** 8:00am, 10:00am  
**SATURDAY:** 10:00am

**Confessions:** Saturday after 10am Mass & Sunday after 7:00pm Mass  
**Baptisms:** From 2nd September - Saturday 11:00am & Sunday 2:00pm; Call parish office  
**Adoration:** Every Thursday & Friday from 10am-9pm in St Mary's Blessed Sacrament Chapel

## NEW MASS TIMES

**SUNDAY:** 10:00am & 12:00pm  
**MONDAY TO FRIDAY:** 10:00am  
**SATURDAY - Vigil Mass** 7:30pm

## Parish Activities:

**Holy Rosary:** Daily: 3.15pm. **Divine Mercy Chaplet:** Daily: 3.00pm  
**Baptisms:** From 2nd Sept Sat – 12pm; Sun – 12.45pm; call parish office.  
**Confessions:** Saturday at 6:45pm before Vigil Mass  
**Mass intentions:** Call into sacristy or leave a message on (041) 9831991.  
**Prayer for Vocations & Priests:** Hymns, Holy Rosary, Reflection, Litany for priests 7pm – 8pm every Thursday in Holy Family Church

## Holy Family Mass Intentions for 20th August - 27th August, 2023

<b>Sun</b>	<b>20th</b>	<b>10am</b>	Kieran & Frankie Collier; Christopher & Hannah Coleman; William and Elizabeth Collier; Michael Murray.; Martin McGuirk; Oliver Kelly; Jim Smith; Philip Magee; Judith Dyas; David Madden.
		<b>12pm</b>	James McDonnell; Jim Smith; Paddy Maguire; Oliver O'Reilly; David Madden; John Dawe; George Kiernan
<b>Mon</b>	<b>21st</b>	<b>10am</b>	Judy Dyas; David Madden
<b>Tues</b>	<b>22nd</b>	<b>10am</b>	Nellie McDonnell
<b>Wed</b>	<b>23rd</b>	<b>10am</b>	
<b>Thurs</b>	<b>24th</b>	<b>10am</b>	
<b>Fri</b>	<b>25th</b>	<b>10am</b>	Christopher & Hannah Coleman; Holy Souls; Elizabeth Murphy; Minnie O'Connor
<b>Sat</b>	<b>26th</b>	<b>7.30pm</b>	
<b>Sun</b>	<b>27th</b>	<b>10am</b>	Gerard Farrell
		<b>12pm</b>	Errol Le Brasse

**Caretaker Position**—Applications are invited for a full time 40 hour per week caretaker position. The job will involve working 20 hours per week in Marymount National School and 20 hours per week in Holy Family Parish. Please submit your application along with references to: The Principal, Marymount N.S. Ballsgrove, no later than 28th August. Successful applicants will be called to interview during the week of September 4th- 8th.

**Supporting Holy Family Parish:** Sunday, 13th August, 2023: Offertory: €1250

## 50th Anniversary - East Meath Pioneer Region:

24th September, 2023 will mark the 50th Anniversary and to celebrate this occasion Mass will be held at 3pm in the Church of the Nativity of our Lady, Johnstown. Dinner and social evening in the Ardboyne Hotel, Navan, Music, Tickets €30. Presentation of Pioneer Silver, Gold & Diamond Emblems & Certificates. **Further information** available from Jim 087 6501915, Mary 086 3592636 & Chris 087 6766586.

**Confirmations for 2024** for St Mary's & Holy Family Parishes will take place on Saturday 10th February.



## A prayer for those who died...

**Mark Kelly** Rathmullan; **Judith Dyas**, Ballsgrove; **Cepta Farrell**, Termonfeckin;  
**Jerry Clifford**, Mullingar, Cork & Drogheda; **David Madden**, Ballsgrove;  
**Christy Kane**, Highfield; **Thomas Heavey**, Ard Rí, Drogheda.  
**May they rest in peace.**

## St Mary's Mass Intentions for 20th August - 27th August 2023

<b>Sun 20th</b>	<b>9am</b>	Tony & Marie Wade; Ena & Ann Bradley, Faigh McCulloch & McKenna, Bradley & McCarthy Families; George Murtagh
	<b>11am</b>	Seamus Branigan <i>Month's Memory</i> ; Ann Taaffe <i>Month's Memory</i> ; Paddy & Johnny Gregory <i>Month's Memory</i> ; John Sixsmith <i>First Anniversary</i> ; Fred & Rita Morgan; Cathal Whelan; Henry Haughton; John & Philomena Kelly; Eugene & Carmel Campbell
	<b>7pm</b>	
	<b>4pm Polish Mass</b>	
<b>Mon 21st</b>	<b>8am</b>	<b>10am</b>
<b>Tue 22nd</b>	<b>8am</b>	Fr Gerard Rice
	<b>10am</b>	Breda Nugent; Special Intention; Mass of Thanksgiving
<b>Wed 23rd</b>	<b>8am</b>	<b>10am</b>
<b>Thurs 24th</b>	<b>8am</b>	<b>10am</b>
<b>Fri 25th</b>	<b>8am</b>	<b>10am</b>
<b>Sat 26th</b>	<b>10am</b>	Thomas Brady, <i>1st Anniversary</i> ; Kevin Devine & John Lynch; Patrick & Marie Connor; Francie Floody
<b>Sun 27th</b>	<b>9am</b>	Paddy, Thomas & Patrick Reilly, Plunkett & Kelly Families; Floody & Cunningham Families, Kenny Family, Christy Carroll, Johnny James & Special Intention; Tony & Marie Wade
	<b>11am</b>	Jim Branigan <i>Months Memory</i> ; Baby Sean O'Callaghan; Michael Tuite; Michael Byrne
	<b>7pm</b>	

**Supporting St Mary's Parish:** Sunday, 13th August 2023: Dev. Fund: €880 Offertory: €915

**St Mary's Sunday Church Collection:** From September we propose to resume the collection in the Church as it was done previously. We urgently need more collectors & would appreciate if you could help. Please leave your name and contact details at the Parish Office.

**Drogheda COPD Support Group:** The next meeting is on Friday 1st Sept 2:30pm-4.30pm-Barbican Centre. Special guest speaker will be Katie Macintyre Support Coordinator with COPD Support Ireland. Light refreshments served, all welcome. For more info call Peter 087-8071138 or Ollie 083 4156104.

**Eucharistic Adoration:** The 33rd Anniversary Mass of Eucharistic Adoration takes place in St Mary's Church on Sunday 3rd September at 7pm.

**Cúpla focal:** Grúpa comhrá gaeilge commencing Tuesday 12th September at 11am in the Community Centre, Ballsgrove. All welcome. Call Helen on 086 3577304.